Serial No.: 09/548,409 Compositions and Methods for the Treatment of Pancreatitis

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REMARKS

The Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for withdrawing the finality of the previous Office Action and entering our Request for Continuing Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

Amendments to the Specification

First, the Applicants thank the Examiner for pointing out the informalities contained within the specification and we have amended the specification to correct these errors. Specifically, the following two corrections were taken:

- 1. The specification was amended to recite "of SEQ ID NO: 12" after each of the peptide sequences HELTH, HELNH and HELTH located on page 26, lines 8-9.
- 2. The specification was amended to replace the embedded hypertext "www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov" with the normal text "www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov"

The Applicants hereby state that these amendments do not add new subject matter to the specification.

CONCLUSION

For the above reasons the patent application is now thought to be in condition for allowance, and the Applicants respectfully ask the Examiner to issue a Notice to that effect. Please use Deposit Account 01-0885 for the payment of the extension fees or any other fees due in connection with the current response.

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